

## Further Information

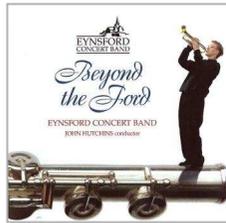
### Colin Palmer... our Musical Director

Colin Palmer is one of the longest serving members of the band and is very active in local music. Colin's association with the band goes back over twenty five years when he was a regular performer.

Colin teaches Trumpet at Junior Trinity Collage and Trumpet and Singing at Wilmington Boys Grammar School in Kent. He is also director of Wilmington Youth Music, an association dedicated to making music accessible to as many youngsters as possible in the local area. Colin is also an avid fan of Amateur Dramatics and regularly directs various local Light Operatic Groups.



### Beyond the Ford... our new CD!



We are excited to announce the release of our new recording *Beyond the Ford*. The CD features wind music in a variety of settings from tone poems and film music, to descriptions of scenes and events. Some of our favourite pieces from the CD can also be heard as part of our on-board concerts.

The CD costs £10 and is available from the on-board shops.



# Cruising the Mediterranean with The Eynsford Concert Band

*August 2008*

## About the Eynsford Concert Band

We invite you to join us for our concerts aboard the Black Watch. We hope you will enjoy our performances and we value your feedback – feel free to stop and chat to any member of the band!

The Eynsford Concert Band is a symphonic wind band that has been based in the village of Eynsford, Kent since 1972. Over the years, the band has developed into a successful group of talented musicians, performing regularly in theatres, concert halls, musical contests and festivals at home and abroad.

This is our second tour aboard the Black Watch. In August 2006 we enjoyed the company of the ships passengers and crew during a week-long tour of the Fjords of Norway. We enjoy touring and in the past have visited Austria, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ireland, Netherlands, Malta and Spain. It is exciting for us to play to new audiences and we look forward to entertaining you.

The band is a Registered Charity (No. 277086) and our tours are self-funded with the band and members covering the entire costs themselves.

### Eynsford Concert Band Online!

Further details on the band, including our history, concerts and information on how to join us can be found on our website:

[www.eynsfordconcertband.co.uk](http://www.eynsfordconcertband.co.uk)

The Eynsford Concert Band would like to extend their thanks to the Fred.Olsen Head Office Staff and Ships Company for giving us the opportunity to perform to you on this cruise.

## Programme

We plan to perform five concerts during our 2 week cruise. These will be subject to weather conditions and cruise schedule changes. The following provides a flavour of what we have in store for you:

**Spanish Evening:** Our visit to the ports of Iberia would not be complete without a topical programme of the *Ritual Fire Dance*, *The Spanish Gypsy Dance* and *The Mask of Zorro*; to name just a few.

**Song and Dance:** A light-hearted programme of popular classics that will get your feet tapping, including *Copacabana*, *River Dance* and hits by *Frank Sinatra*.

**A Night at the Movies:** Theme tunes and feature music from Box Office hits such as *Pirates of the Caribbean*, *James Bond* and *Out of Africa*.

**“Showtime”:** Presenting the classics of the West End, from the Musicals to Big Band with hits from *West Side Story*, *Mama Mia*, *Lion King* and *South Pacific*.

**Last Night of The Proms:** Bringing a taste of the Albert Hall to the Black Watch with a collection of classical delights from Mussorgsky’s *‘Great Gate of Kiev’* to *The Post Horn Gallup* and Malcolm Arnold’s *Cornish Dances*.

Of course, no Proms programme would be complete without the opportunity to sing along to Henry Woods’ *Fantasia on British Sea Songs* and Elgar’s *Pomp and Circumstance No. 1 (Land of Hope and Glory)*.

**Performance times and venues will be listed in the Ship’s *Daily Times* so look out here for details of when and where to find us!**